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TELLS STORY OF FATAL SHOOTING

August Buono Relates Simply and Earnestly Details of Sanfilippi Killing

PLACES BLAME ON DEAD MAN

Says Calogero Sanfilipi "Bothered His Wife"—Escape Comparatively Easy—Remained in Vicinity of Charleroi Several Days.

With a natural earnestness and with a calm that was not studied, August Buono, accused of the murder of Calorego Sanfilipi, told simply in his cell at the lockup Thursday afternoon of the sensational shooting November 24, 1914 and freely related the details of his spectacular escape. He showed no fear, since plainly his opinion was that his act had been justified, but his dark, flashing eyes were full of meaning. He smiled readily enjoying the good points of occasional jokes of which he was the victim.

Buono blames Sanfilipi, who he refers to merely as "the dead man." He accuses Sanfilipi of causing him all sorts of domestic unhappiness and argues toward a plea of self defense.

"He bothered my wife," said Buono and his eyes flashed. Then dropping his glance for a moment he told how he respected her and loved his two children, protesting he did not want disgrace brought upon them. Several times, said Buono, Sanfilipi followed him along the street jeering and spitting at him. Buono accuses Sanfilipi of taking his wife to New York state, mistreating her and then making her return alone, without supplying her with sufficient funds to pay her way. "I warned him," Buono flashed, "and told him I would get blood in my eye some day and there would be trouble."

The shooting occurred in the barber shop of San Chimaura on McKean avenue. Buono said he was there and that Sanfilipi told him to come to the back. There according to Buono, Sanfilipi warned him to leave town and leave his wife, else he, Sanfilipi, would kill him. Buono showed how he pulled a gun from his hip pocket and fired, stating to the man that "if that was the way, he would kill."

According to Buono he spent the night of the shooting housed with his mother-in-law at a small place near Second street.

Then he went to Belle Vernon to remain a week shut up in a garret. From Belle Vernon Buono returned to Charleroi and at 12 o'clock at night walked down Washington avenue while police were searching for him, got on a car at the Monessen-Charleroi bridge and went to Pittsburg. He stayed all night at a hotel and left the next day for Johnstown. From Johnstown he went to Clearfield, having money enough for his travels raised it is supposed by Italian friends. His course from Clearfield took him to Chicago. There under the name of Frank Prasto he remained a year, his wife and children joining him. From Chicago he, with his little family went to Ellwood, Ind, where the actual capture took place, instead of at Alexandria, as first stated.

Buono today was taken by Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Policeman Gus Brickner to the county

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OFFICERS ELECTED BY CHARLEROI ODD FELLOWS

J. M. Fleming Named to Noble Grand's Chair—Installation to Take Place on April 13.

Officers were elected Thursday night by Charleroi lodge, No. 1030, I. O. O. F. for the ensuing term of six months. The following were chosen: Noble grand, J. M. Fleming; vice grand, C. H. Christner; outside guardian, Thomas Wildman; trustee, George W. Moody; pianist, J. Young. Following the election the entertainment committee of the lodge served lunch and treated to "smokes." The installation of officers will take place on Thursday evening, April 13, when District Deputy I. N. Young will be in charge.

CLAIMS DAMAGE TO HIS PROPERTY

Brownsville Bridge Case being Heard Now at the Fayette County Seat

$25,000 IS AMOUNT WANTED

The Brownsville bridge case occupied all Thursday before Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen in Fayette common pleas court at Uniontown. The case was resumed this forenoon. It is now considered unlikely thatt he trial will be completed before Saturday. Nine witnesses testified Thursday and seven of them estimated the alleged damage to the Herbertson property, Bridge and Water streets, South Brownsville, caused by the erection of the Brownsville bridge. The suit being tried is that of William H. Herbtson and others against Fayette county for $25,000 damages.

The lowest estimate placed on the damage to the property by the bridge was made by Capt. W. A. Edmiston, cashier of the Monongahela National Bank. He said that in his opinion the property is now worth $20,000 less than before the bridge was built. That part of Capt. Edmiston's testimony, however, was ruled out by the court. The highest estimate placed on the damages was by Harvey Wooster, a well known barber of Brownsville, who declared that the damage to the property by the erection of the bridge would amount to $30,000.

"THE BONDMAN" TO BE SEEN AT COYLE MONDAY

On Monday at the Coyle theatre Manager Coyle will present the Fox production "The Bondman" featuring William Farnum. "The Bondman" is a famous drama adapted from the book of the same name by Hall Caine. As a photoplay it contains over 1,000 scenes. The story is one that thrills and grips. It is tragedical in nature but the author weaves into the narrative a story of a supreme sacrifice that is bound to take hold of the spectator with force. Farnum is seen at his best in the production.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church has postponed its social to have been held tomorrow night.

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MINES TO WORK OUT NEW SYSTEM OF PAY

Most of Operations Along Valley to Take up Run of Mine Scale—Notices Posted of Change at the Charleroi Mine

Most of the mines along the Monongahela valley it is expected will continue in operation steadily after April 1 when the old wage scale expired, with arrangements being made at each mine as rapidly as possible to put the new scale into effect. At some of the mines, particularly in the upper pools along the river, there has been some discussion as to whether the run of mine basis of pay or the screen basis now in effect, is the better and doubt will continue in the minds of the miners probably until the new scale is given a thorough trial. Some of the operators are informing their men to take their choice.

The Charleroi mine of the Youghiogheny & Ohio company will continue in operation, putting the newly proposed run-of-mine scale into effect within 90 days.

This afternoon at the Charleroi mine the following notice was posted: "The Charleroi mine will continue in operation from April 1 until the run of mine scale can be installed on the 1 1-4 inch basis, payment to be made at rates of five cents advance over the present price for 1 1-4 pick mined coal and 4 cents advance for 1 1-4 inch machine mined coal. Five per cent advance will be paid on day and deadwork prices, the run of mine scale to be installed within 90 days from April 1."

The scale committee for the district consists of President Van Bittner, F. P. Hanaway, P. Murray and Robert Woods, secretary. The operator's committee consists of G. W. Schleudelberg, chairman; Mike Gallagher, James Patterson and J. W. Armstrong.

Rumors were heard of a strike to take place at the Ellsworth mines tomorrow, but the rumor remains to be verified. The story told, it being a wild one, was that Austrians were refusing to mine coal on the theory that this would help to reduce the supply to the Allies and help the German alliance to win the European war.

JOHNSON RESIGNS PLACE AS INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

State Official Quits Because He Says He is Unwilling to Take Orders in His Own Work.

Not being in sympathy with the methods he declares are being used by the state administration to procure support for Governor M. G. Brumbaugh as a presidential candidate and unwilling to take orders Insurance Commissioner Charles Johnson of Norristown late Thursday sent his resignation to the governor and it was accepted in a few hours.

Johnson charged in his letter that Attorney General Francis Shunk Brown was attempting to coerce state officials and employes into supporting the governor's presidential aspirations.

EVANGELIST PREACHES SERMON ON CHRISTIAN BAPTISM THEME

Evangelist Johnston preached Thursday night at the Christian church on "Christian Baptism" in which he showed the importance of baptism, not as a saving grace but as the desire and demands of Christ and the church. He said it is Jesus who saves when the people keep his commands. He made a strong plea for reconciliation to God. A solo by Miss Thelma Duvall and music by the junior and senior choirs under the direction of the pastor were features of the service. A delegation from the Star Class was present with 50 members. They had two beautiful boquets of flowers placed in the pulpit. The church was filled to seating capacity. Rev. Johnston will preach tonight on the subject of "Hitting the Trail." Baptismal services will be held at the close of the meeting. The song service will begin at 7:30.

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GOVERNOR DESIGNATES MAY 25 AS "GOOD ROADS" DAY

Chief Executive Calls Upon People Of Pennsylvania to Heartily Carry Out Observance.

Fromal designation of May 25 as "good roads" day for Pennsylvania was made by Gov. Brumbaugh Thursday. This is the second time the people of the state have been called upon to give their labor or material for the betterment of the highways the first "good roads" day having been observed last May.

The Governor refers to the interest aroused last year and to the requests made by organizations in various counties for a similar day this spring, particularly in Washington county.

NEW OFFICERS OF COUNTY ARE SWORN IN AND BEGIN DUTIES

David W. Creigh of 46 West Walnut street, Washington a well-known glass worker was Thursday sworn in as warden at the county jail, succeeding James Kennedy, who has resigned. Mr. Creigh assumed his duties at once.

William Greenlee of Bentleyville, who has been made deputy will not be jailer as was stated Thursday. He will assume the duties of a regular deputy sheriff. G. J. Bucheit of McDonald, whom he succeeds, was a deputy and assisted during court terms at the jail.

Mr. Creigh, who becomes jailer, has spent all his life about Washington. He has been active in working for the Republican party both for candidates in the county and in the Second ward of Washington, where he resides.

Mrs. D. E. Sloan of Crest avenue spent Friday in Pittsburg.

Whq not have a good up-to-date watch, when you can buy it with 10c down, at Porter's jewelry store, where the big street clock is. 245-tS-M-*

OLD PLATE CLASS MEN ON HAND HERE FOR START

Resumption Postponed Few Days Though Date Previously Set Was April 1.

Though tomorrow had been set as the day for the resumption of operations after years of suspension at the Charleroi plant of the Pittsburg Plate Class works it was stated today the start would be postponed a few days longer. This will offer opportunity for putting the plant in the finest shape for indefinite operations. A number of men are already on hand ready to start work, among them being a number who formerly worked here and whose faces have not been seen in Charleroi for years.

REBUILDING TO BE BEGUN SOON

Monongahela Railway Expected to Replace Burned Structures

NEED OF SHOPS PRONOUNCED

Work of rebuilding the various railroad buildings of the Monongahela Railway company at Brownsville destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning will be started shortly according to information received from there. It is anticipated that when the rebuilding begins it will be from fireproof material.

The machine shop formerly used as a roundhouse, blacksmith shop, tin shop and airbrake supply shop buildings with contents were destroyed by one of the most disastrous blazes that ever visited Brownsville. All the structures were of wooden construction built several years ago, and consequently dry and inflammable.

Since the opening of the Fairmont branch of the Monongahela Railway the need of shops and yards in Brownsville has become all the more pronounced.

New Chaplain at Rockview

Rev. T. W. Young of Washington, pastor of the Beallsville Presbyterian Church, has received notification of his appointment as chaplain of the State penitentiary in Rockview, Center county. He will take up his duties on April 7. Mr. Young is a veteran of the Civil War and has served as pastor of several churches in Washington county.

Deed Recorded at Waynesburg

August 6 1913—Charles R. Newcomer, et ux., of Charleroi, to Howard B. Johnson of Brownsville the one-sixth interest in the coal underlying a tract of land located in Springhill township, 122 acres; consideration $1.

Bertha Lucile Wise

Bertha Lucile Wise, aged 3 months, the daughter of John Wise of Fallowfield township died Thursday morning. The funeral will be held Saturday with interment in Howe's cemetery.

Deed Recorded.

March 23, 1910—Leopold Schwaed et ux., Charleroi to J. H. Rota, Charleroi, a lot fronting 22 feet on McKean avenue, Charleroi and extending back 100 feet; consideration $2,675.

SCHOOL PROGRAM WELL PRESENTED

Pupils of Crest Avenue and Fifth Street Join in First of Two Entertainments

LARGE CROWD MUCH PLEASED

Folk Dances and Songs and Dramatization of "The Fairies' Tribunal" Are Features—Second Street and Ninth to Combine With Program

Pleasing one of the largest crowds that has ever attended a school entertainment at the high school auditorium, the Crest avenue and Fifth street school children presented a combined program Thursday evening that was a big feature and a something that will stand out as one of the bright events of the present school year. It was the first of two entertainments arranged by the schools. The second will be given tonight by the combined Ninth street and Second street schools. Prof. I. T. Daniel, supervisor of music in the schools, is directing the entertainments. For the Thursday presentations the accompanists were Miss Ruby Charles and Miss Genevieve Nutt.

The program was opened with the song, "You're Welcome if You Keep Right Still," by pupils of the first and second grades of the Fifth street building. These tots were attired in full dress suits and in their drill they made a hit.

Then came the children from the Crest avenue building in their distinctly original part of the program. The first was a dance of greeting by pupils of the first grade. This was a prettily arranged folk dance and those taking part did well.

In order followed the German folk dance by pupils of the second and third grades, the Dutch clap dance by pupils of the first grade, the "Sailor's Hornpipe," a solo dance by Miss Helen Darroch of California, the "Ace of Diamonds" dance by pupils of the fourth grade, the Swedish clap dance by pupils of the second grade, the Highland fling by pupils of the fifth grade and the Indian song and drill, "Bow Bearers to Chief Red Cloud" by pupils of the third and fourth grades.

Costuming was unique and at the same time grand. National ideas of dress were followed out as fully as possible and color was added to the scene. There wasn't a break to be seen anywhere.

The second part of the program was that of the playlet "The Fairies' Tribunal," presented by pupils of the Fifth street building. This was something pretty big for the tots to attempt but they got through it without a break, doing wonderfully well and performing in a way that would have done credit to adults. The story a boy reader of yellow novels was forced by his parents to read fairy tales. He detested such "silly stuff" and rejoiced that when a man he would take up Indian killing as a profession. Then he falls asleep and dreams of being tried and convicted in the court of the fairies of intended manslaughter first degree, and wakes up again with better intentions. On the stage not only appear the speaking characters, all of which are well taken but in addition a jury grotesquely attired, the prisoner, Joseph Bake, soldiers, fairies,

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MORE HOME FOR YOUR DOLLAR

William Allen White of the Emporia Gazette was asked by an interviewer, while he was on a recent eastern visit, just what he thought was the matter with New York.

Mr. White admitted that he had seen most of the great capitals of the world and that New York was the most beautiful. But New York takes too much and gives too little, says the Punxsutawney Spirit.

"I guess it's the heart of the country. Everything flows through it—money, people, ideas—but New York has no soul. Some spiritual element is lacking. Other cities do have souls. To be a St. Louisan, a Chicagoan a Bostonian, a Philadelphian, a San Franciscan means something definite. To be a New Yorker means to be yourself in a crowd. It is almost impossible to get a sense of team play.

"I think one word explains a good deal of it—home. The central idea of our civilization is home and children. You get a lot more of home for your dollar elsewhere—in Emporia for instance.

It would be hard to find a sooner characterization of the difference between the big city and the small one. The impossibility of getting a sense of team play is partly responsible for the difficulty of having real homes. And the lack of real homes makes for lack of team play.

Will American cities some day learn how futile is mere size? Will they learn that when they have a large enough group so that they can work together to get things for the good of all—good schools, good music, clean streets, for example—they have all the people they need? And that having real homes with ground around them flowers, trees, friendly neighbors and a community spirit which allows no submerged fractions, is worth all the artificial stimulus of all the big cities in the world?

THE CHURCH AD-WRITER

Writing of sermons and writing of advertisements for the newspapers are two very different things. The preacher puts his headlines into his climax whereas the advertising man puts his into the text at the very beginning of the story. Church advertising should not only tell of the work of the church but should make men understand its merits, says the Butler Eagle. There is a distinct value in paying for advertising space in a newspaper. Such advertising begets confidence in the church on the part of the public. The church does not look upon a daily newspaper as a philanthropic enterprise. It is usually conducted upon a business basis. The church receives direct benefit from newspaper advertising and it is willing to pay for it, just as it pays for its coal and gas and general upkeep.

Some careless thoughtless folk look upon quarantine regulations as an affliction designed solely to deprive them of their liberty and consequent to find a peculiar sort of enjoyment in outwitting the officers in charge of the establishment and enforcement the quarantine. This idea must have been invented by satan or some of his cohorts since it savors of his kind. If these careless persons considered the reasons for this deprivation of liberty, if they stopped to think that it was some escapade of some other that has led to the curtailment of their privileges or if they but thought of the danger they might be bringing to others, probably they would not lean quite so heavily toward law infraction.

Persistency pays. This is evidenced by the capture of August Buono for killing Calogero Sanfillippi by Chief of Police Albright in an Indiana city. Ever since the killing of Sanfillippi in a McKean avenue barber shop, Chief Albright and the police force of Charleroi have been working with a determination to win. That they did win proves their mettle. Too often murderers escape never to be captured. That has proven true in Monongahela valley crimes among foreigners. But it might be said Buono never had a good chance in spite of his spectacular escape. They were too close on his heels wherever he went and the search was too thorough, too persistent. If the same persistency were shown in every instance and the same intelligence in the chase, there would be fewer murderers enjoying their freedom today.

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Railroad wreck, fire, powder, explosion, war, more war! Sherman couldn't talk forceful enough to express his opinion of this combination. It seems impossible to run the government properly without somebody calling somebody 57 different varieties of a prevaricator.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"Look here," said the benevolent looking man, "you have asked me for work ever time I passed this corner for the last three weeks."

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TELLS STORY

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jail at Washington, there to await the disposition of his case. An attorney has been secured to defend him and the case will be hard fought. Italian friends from many parts, some who have known him for years and others who have known him but a day, it is understood are subscribing to a fund to be used in his behalf.

Chief Albright has been on the trail of Buono ever since the night of the shooting. Last winter he apparently had him located in Chicago and spent five days in that city endeavoring to effect an arrest. Buono escaped the trap set for him by Chief Albright and the entire force of Chicago detectives, going to Marion, Ind., for a week, then to Ellwood. How Chief Albright got word of his presence in Ellwood will remain a secret. The capture was effected with the aid of Carl Parson, chief of police at Ellwood and S. E. Donahoo chief of police at Anderson, Ind. No difficulty was experienced in getting Buono to Charleroi.

Apparently there was a sort of relief to Buono to know that he no longer would have to fear capture and to avoid all officers of the law. When he pulled the trigger of the revolver Buono says he shut his eyes. He didn't know at the time he says that Sanfilipi was killed outright but learned it soon after. Since then he has suffered horrors, according to his own story fearing arrest at all times. He has thought much of the tragedy it is plain, and is not to be caught easily in his story. He admits the shooting, telling an unvarnished tale, but when it comes to the why and wherefores of certain actions after, he grins and asks reasons for such questions. His first story of his escape was that he spent three days in Belle Vernon. Queried again he pleasantly smiled and pretended to study, then remarked, "Let's see what was it I told you; three days wasn't it," and laughed aloud. Assured that the question meant nothing of importance he answered seriously and it seemed truthfully, "Just one week."

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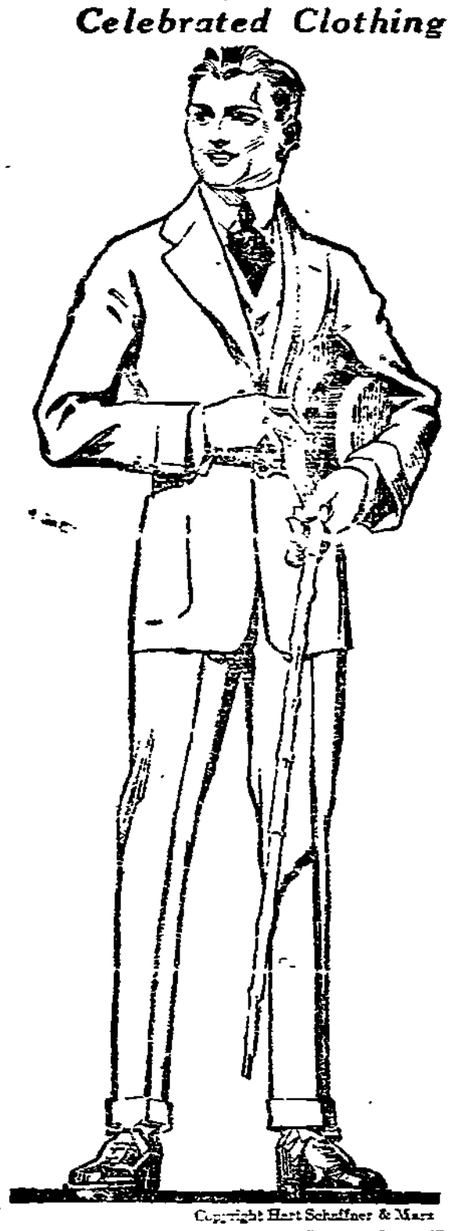

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MAJESTIC—CHARLEROI

The past week, which was the last under the management of Mr. Gregory at the Majectic theatre was one in which many special feature pictures were presented to the patrons Monday Alice Brady appeared in the stellar role of "The Rack" a five part production by the Brady company. Tuesday the regular Triangle program was presented. This included "Jordan is a Hard Road" a drama featuring Dorothy Gish and "Fatty and the Broadway Stars," a comedy picture. Wednesday the second installment of the serial picture "The Strange Case of Mary Page" in which Henry B. Walthall and Edna Mayo enacted the leading role was shown. Thursday's attraction was "The Price of Happiness." Mary Boland the famous scheen star appeared in this picture which was a drama showing the real happiness in the simple home life.

PALACE—CHARLEROI

With good vaudeville programs and amateur contest and special motion pictures many were attracted to the Palace theatre the past week. The first three days the program was headed with an act from the Harris theatre of Pittsburg, The Sheldons a team of acrobats. Genevieve Crossland entertained with songs of both the popular and higher class. One of the best attractions however was "The Three Guys" a trio of black face comedians. The later part of the week the Spencer trio singers and dancers, Shep and Rich a team of comedians and a novelty act made-up the program. Tuesday evening an amateur contest in which many local performers took part was a feature. In addition to the vaudeville numbers good motion pictures were shown. Among these were "La Paloma," "The Man Within Him" featuring G. M. Anderson, "The Life Chase" and "The Redemption of Helene." Excellent programs are being announced for the coming week at the Palace.

COYLE—CHARLEROI

Manager R. S. Coyle had one of his best regular programs for this week at the Coyle theatre presenting some of the highest class dramas and comedies. Monday the Fox presentation "Gold and the Woman" was the headliner, featuring the famous Theda Bara and H. Cooper Cliffe. Tuesday the Paramount film was "Madame La Presidente," with Anna Held and Forrest Stanley. This was a great picture presented in the usual great Paramount way. On Wednesday a Metro film, "The Soul Market" was the reigning feature with Mme. Petrovia and Arthur Hoops in the leading roles. One of the famous Barrymore comedies, with John Barrymore in the starring role was a Paramount attraction of unusual nature Thursday. The title of the piece was "Nearly a King." Friday Warren Kerrigan appeared in the leading part of "The Pool of Flame." Many interesting announcements for next week are being made.

ALVIN—PITTSBURG

At the Alvin Theatre Monday evening for a week's engagement with matinees Wednesday and Saturday will be presented the delightful musical comedy success, "The Only Girl," the music of which is the composition of Victor Herbert with story by Henry Blossom. The story portrays a librettist who is in need of a composer. He is, as he says, an inventor, not a hater of women the more so as his three close friends have decided that the state of matrimony is the real thing. Suddenly he hears a melody that comes floating into his room from the apartment above. He thinks that it would be the theme for the story upon which he is working. In the end sex attraction finally prevails and the librettist and his composer fall in love in quite the usual way and she becomes, at least to him, "the only girl," in fact as well as in name.

NEW DAVIS—PITTSBURG

Everybody in the English and French metropolises was discussing "The Forest Fire" produced by Langdon McCormick and everybody was going to see it when the Germans hurled their legions across the Belgian border and set the world aflame. Purely an electrical exhibition, employing one thousand lights. "The Forest Fire" presents the illusion of a spectacular conflagration raging in the heart of the Canadian northwest and thrilling with its intense realism as nothing in the history of stagecraft has thrilled before. The story has to do with the wild ride of an engine through a forest fire on a mission of rescue. Twelve people are employed in the acting cast, in addition to a group of Indians, villagers and timbermen for "The Forest Fire" in three scenes and two tableaux, is instinct with the atmosphere of the rugged, redblooded life of the timberland. Its principal character is played by Sylvia Bidwell in the role of a telephone operator at a railroad station, who proves herself a real heroine. It took five years to perfect the illusion, which conveys to the eyes and the minds of the spectators a real vision of fire, although not a spark is employed in any manner, shape or form throughout the whole production. Among the other acts which Mr. Davis announces for the week of "The Forest Fire," are: Blossom Seeley the synocopated songstress, formerly of "Stop, Look and Listen;" Walter Brower, the comedian and Nina Payne and Joe Niemeyer in a little comedy of songs o' songs, dancing and dialogue.

GRAND—PITTSBURG

Alternating currents of laughter and thrills will electrify audiences at the Harry Davis Stock production at the Grand Opera House during the week beginning Monday afternoon, April 3, of "The Dummy," a detective comedy in four acts by Harvey J. O'Higgins and Harriet Ford. This delightfully breezy play is based on the "Barney" stories that appeared in Collier's Magazine. It is a story of kidnapping in which there is a child, whom only the parents call baby. Like all good melodramas, there are "papers in the case," and there is Barney, the boy detective, who yearns to doff his A. D. T. uniform for the false whiskers, the bull's-eye and the badge of the sleuth. Barney has the right stuff in him and looks good to thehead of the detective bureau so he becomes a dummy who can neither speak nor hear. He pretends to be a rich man's child himself and gets himself kidnapped. Always in touch with his chief, however, he manages to make New York a rather torrid place for the kidnappers, who, taking Barney and the child, skip across the city line into the Catskills. Unluckily for Barney, but luckily for the audience, since it is provocative of a storm of laughter, the boy detective falls to sleep and dreams of his proud ambition.

Too Much.

Mrs. Methusaleh sighed wearily. "That's the four-hundred-and-thirteenth cook that has left us in the last six hundred years," she protested. "This servant question is getting on my nerves."

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The discomfort of entering a darkened room after darkness is because the optic nerve, which is so sensitive to light as the retina of the eye is, is suddenly bombarded with light rays before the pupil of the eye has had time to contract to receive them. The pupils dilate very much in the dark, in order to admit every ray possible and a dilated pupil must, without discomfort, suddenly receive an abundance of light rays.

When the pupil contracts there is an automatic adjustment to the quantity of light. When we "spoil" we are really only adjusting our pupils. Going from brilliant light to darkness, the pupils do not dilate instantly. They remain contracted and cannot for a time collect what light there is. So the darkness appears intensified.

Cats, owls and other animals see in the dark, because they have the power of enlarging their broad pupils and collecting light which is invisible to us.

Light itself is a fluid of luminous ether, which fills up the spaces in the air particles. It has an undulating vibratory movement, which strikes on the optic nerve, giving us the sensation of "light."—Pearson's Weekly.

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There is an amazing price set upon the land of London. In the center of the English metropolis tiny lots have been sold for fortunes.

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There are places on Queen Victoria, Upper Thames, St. Mary-at-Hill and Cannon streets where one square inch is worth $1.25. In Lombard street and King William street prices have ranged from $200 and $250 to $350 per square foot.

Cornhill property has been bought for more than $12,000,000 an acre. Threadneedle street land for $350 per square foot, and a church in Austin Friars, not such a large church either, was tempted with an offer of $5,000,000 for the land beneath it.

The steady lifting of London land in price has brought fabulous riches to the owners. Families have risen to prominence on no other ground than that they owned small bits of ground in valuable sections. Rents are high there, and sales have made owners permanently wealthy.—Philadelphia North American.

Odious Comparison.

A little girl from Brooklyn was taken to visit her maternal grandmother in Connecticut. During her stay the household made much of her, and on her departure she was hugged and kissed and wept over by each member of the affectionate family in turn. The scene made a deep impression on her young mind.

A visit to some Boston relatives followed. At the conclusion of it her uncle and cousins stood smilingly waving their adieus to the little one until she was out of sight.

The child's mother was beginning to wonder what made her so unusually quiet when a solemn little voice rang out from her corner of the car:

"Not a tear shed!"—New York Post.

Pinched Him Financially.

An esteemed citizen went into a shoe store in a metropolitan town and asked to see some leather goods. Another minute and an obliging salesman was hauling out some boxes.

"That is a nice looking shoe," remarked the customer as the salesman pushed his foot into a shiny right and started to lace it. "What is the price?"

"This pair is $8," responded the salesman as he finished the lacing and ran his hands across the vamp.

"Does it pinch you any?"

"Well, I should say it does!" was the prompt rejoinder of the customer. "Give me something about $3 cheaper."—Kansas City Star.

How the Roughhouse Started.

They were talking about various things at the club, when a member not especially noted for his cleanliness remarked, "Would you call a bath a luxury or a necessity?"

"In your case," replied the man addressed, "it would be both—a necessity because you need it so badly and a luxury because you take it so rarely."—Boston Transcript.

The Cow.

"Johnny," said the teacher, "write a sentence containing the word 'contents.'"

After a few moments' hard labor Johnny submitted the following: "The contents of a cow is milk."—Chicago News.

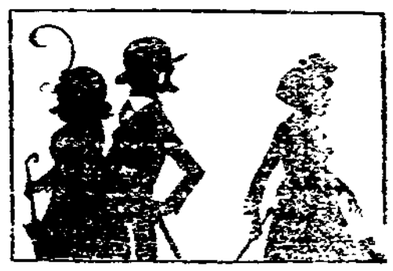
One of Its Uses.

"Willie, did you see my new shaving brush?"

"Yep. Mom is using it to paint the bird cage."—Columbia Jester.

The word "tomorrow" was invented for irresolute people and for children.—Turgenieff.

Ain't It The Truth?



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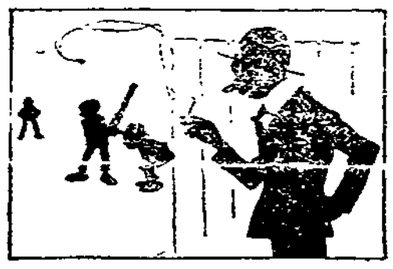

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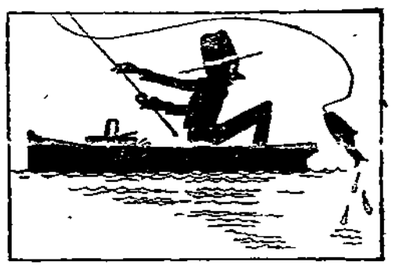
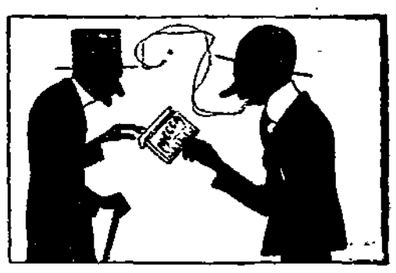


You can't pass up the glad things in life:



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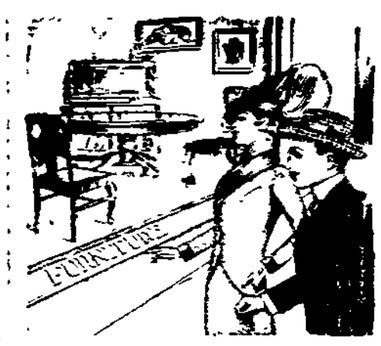

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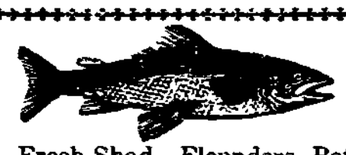

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The first locomotive constructed in this country was built by the West Point foundry at New York in 1830 for the South Carolina railroad and named the Phoenix. A second engine was built the same year by the same establishment and for the same railroad and named the West Point.

In the spring of 1831 a third engine was built by the same establishment for the Mohawk and Hudson railroad from Albany to Schenectady and called the De Witt Clinton. This was the first locomotive run in the state of New York.

The first Stephenson locomotive ever imported into this country was the Robert Fulton. This engine was brought out in the summer of 1831 for the Mohawk and Hudson railroad. It was subsequently rebuilt and named the John Bull.

The Mystery of a Duel.

Having fought his duel and saved his honor by firing a shot in the air, the editor of a French provincial newspaper went back to his desk, and the incident had quite left his mind when he felt something strange in his thigh. He looked and found that he was bleeding profusely. A doctor was called, who discovered that a bullet was imbedded in the editor's thigh some two inches deep and required extraction. "Why was this not taken notice of on the spot where the duel took place?" he asked. The editor was as much in the dark as the doctor. At the moment of the duel he had fired into the air, and his adversary also took a distracted sort of aim. The editor felt nothing as he left the field and had shaken hands with his antagonist as a sign of reconciliation. How a bullet came to be lodged in his thigh was simply one of the mysteries of dueling.

Projecting Your Personality.

Can any man's life be held to be incomplete if it is continued in the life of a friend? Was Arthur Hallam's life incomplete when Tennyson prolonged it forever by "In Memoriam" or the life of Socrates when Plato continued it in his immortal dialogues? Confucius said wisely, "Have no friends not equal to yourself." By that he must have meant, "Make your friends equal to yourself by giving them freely of your best." Thus you make sure of a continued life whatever happens to yourself, as a manufacturer intrusts the secrets of his manipulations to his younger partners.—Christian Herald.

Soldiers In Napoleon's Day.

There are five things that a soldier should never be without—his gun, his cartridge, his knapsack, rations for four days and his pioneer tools. The knapsack should be reduced to the smallest posible weight and size and contain only a shirt, a pair of shoes, a collar, a handkerchief and a flint of steel. This is not much, but he should never part from them, for when once lost they cannot be recovered.—Napoleon.

One Way.

"Now, Johnny," said the teacher, "suppose you wanted to build a $1,000 house and had only $700 what would you do?"

"I 'spose I'd have to marry a girl worth $300," answered the young financier.—Kansas City Star.

Administrator's Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania, the undersigned Administrator of Phoebe Wilson, late of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, deceased will sell at public sale, on the premises, in Fallowfield Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania, adjoining North Charleroi, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., Thursday, April 27th, 1916, the vacant lot, known as Lot No. 37, in the Eleanora W. Patterson Plan, fronting 40 feet on the East side of Birch Avenue, and extending back of uniform width 107.53 feet. Excepting and reserving all coal and mining rights. Terms 10 per cent cash, balance upon confirmation by the Court.

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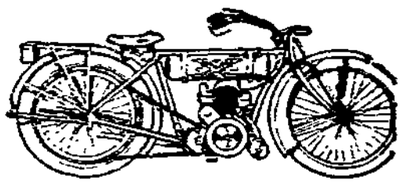

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Why It Is Dangerous to Retire From Active Work.

In Farm and Fireside Dr. David E. Spahr gives some advice to workers who are planning to retire from their callings and enjoy a peaceful old age.

"The abrupt change from an active member of the producing class to an idle member of the consuming class," he says, "is too much for a man who is facing the setting sun. And just here is the excuse and reason for this article. I want to sound a note of warning to those contemplating such a move—'Safety first.'

"For a man in declining life whose arteries are already beginning to harden from indulging in rich and stimulating food the change should be made gradually, allowing his system to accustom itself gradually to the changed conditions. A lessened amount of rich and stimulating food should be indulged in. Regular hours must be maintained, regular exercises that will bring into play and actively all the different muscles of the body in order to insure the elimination of the waste products of the body.

"A sedentary life, inactive and purposeless, with nothing to live for, no object in view but to live and eat and wait and waste away, with a lessened income and greater expense, with more and greater demand upon the purse strings—how great the temptation to become restless, nervous and irritable."

Tires Must Be Matched.

The Scientific American calls attention to a common cause of rear axle troubles, the same being the variation in diameter of different makes of tires. Though these are theoretically 34 by 4 inches, in practice they vary as much as half an inch and sometimes even more. Some of the results of the use of odd tires are oil leaking from the rear axle case and the brake drum of the wheel with the smaller tire, difficulties in steering and tires wearing unevenly. The moral, of course, is that tires of the same type and make should be used on wheels of the same style.

His Saintly Employers.

Deacon Jones—"Have you driven for good people?" Chauffeur—"Regular saints! They wuz so afraid to die that I never could drive over ten miles an hour, sir!"—Judge.

SCHOOL PROGRAM

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and Indians. Various drills and evolutions are gone through, one by the fairies proving especially interesting. As in the Crest avenue entertainment the costuming of the participants was splendid. The chief roles were assumed by Benjamin Wolfbrandt, Luther Livingston, Chauncy Collins, William Feeney, Louise Brenneman, Freer Ailes, Cleda Hannen, Floyd Carson, Howard Owens, Edwin Shipley and Charlton Geary.

The final number of the evening's performance was that of the "Butterfly Drill" given by pupils of the sixth grade. Dressed as butterflies a bevy of girls went through drills that were decidedly picturesque.

The program for tonight's entertainments—matinees being given afternoon—will include various dan and evolutons by the pupils of Second street school and the dra tization of "The Three Bears" by pils of the second and third gra The Ninth street program will b "Pageant of Nations" an arranger by Miss Edith Woodhall the pr pal, with music by Prof. I. T. I iel.

On or about APRIL 1st

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In coats for girls we have prepared some very stylish numbers, prices range $3.75, $5.00, $7.50, $10.00 and $12.50.

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It is dress-up time for the children and you will need one of these dainty spring jackets, prices $3.75, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50.

NEW SPORT BLOUSES

We have just received five dozen new fancy waists that are the latest models, some cotton and silk mixture that look like silk, are very pretty, but wear and wash better than silk, sale price **1.00**

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Gage Hats Yes! real Gage hats. known all over the country as the most reliable as to style and quality. You are safe in a Gage Hat. We are prepared now witn a big lot of new trimmed hats: youthful, jaunty, smart hats and large hats as well as the small hat that is now so p pular.

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Housecleaning season is here and there are hundreds of little needful things that we want to sell you. We've prepared a most complete line, and our advance orders have saved you from many advances. Let us know your wants in carpets and rugs. Better plan to come right now.

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SCIENCE OF NOSES.

In Size and Shape, It Is Said, Is Shown the Wearer's Character.

Nasography reveals the character, habits and inclinations of people by a simple inspection of noses. According to the system, the nose should be as long as possible, and this is a sign of merit, power and genius. Examples—Napoleon and Caesar, both of whom had large noses. A straight nose denotes a just, serious and energetic mind, the Roman nose a propensity for adventure and a wide nose with open nostrils is a mark of great sensuality. A soft nose shows benevolence. It was the nose of St. Vincent de Paul.

The curved fleshy nose is a mark of domination and cruelty. Catherine de Medici and Elizabeth of England had noses of this kind. The curved, thin nose, on the contrary, is a mark of a brilliant mind, but vain and disposed to be ironical. It is the nose of a dreamer, a poet or a critic. If the line of the nose is re-entrante—that is, if the nose is turned up—it denotes that its owner has a weak mind, sometimes coarse, and generally playful, pleasant and frolicsome. A pale nose denotes egotism, envy, heartlessness. The quick, passionate, sanguine man has a strongly colored nose of uniform shade. —London Tit-Bits.

A Great Military Feat.

Nonza, in Corsica, is very proud of the story of a great military feat performed there long ago. It is told in "Romantic Corsica," by George Renwick.

The French in 1768 had subjugated all the northern cape with the exception of the tower of Nonza, which for a considerable time sustained a close siege. Attacking parties were driven back by a fierce fire, but at last the garrison agreed to surrender if allowed to march out with all the honors of war. This was conceded, and old Captain Cascella appeared, staggering under a load of muskets and pistols.

"Why is the garrison so long in coming out?" asked the French commander.

"It is here, sir," replied Cascella. "I am the garrison."

Guy W. Nickeson, piano tuner will be in Charleroi the remainder of this week. Parties desiring pianos tuned will call 180-Y Local or 170 Bell Phone. 244-t2

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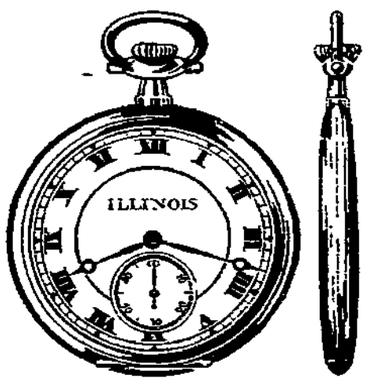

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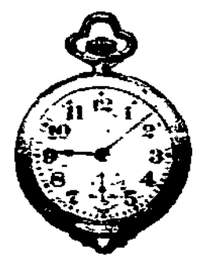

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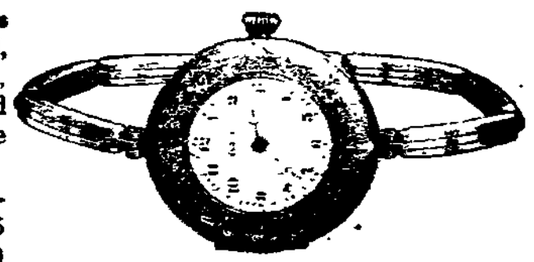

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4th Week	40 cents	14th Week	80 cents	23rd Week	50 cents
5th Week	50 cents	15th Week	$1.30	24th Week	40 cents
6th Week	60 cents	16th Week	$1.20	25th Week	30 cents
7th Week	70 cents	17th Week	$1.10	26th Week	20 cents
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HASN'T WORKED FOR YEARS; NOW GAINS 20 LBS.

Parker Had Been Like Dead Man Until He Took Tanlac.

"Yes sir, I have been taking this Tanlac for about two weeks and I have gained twenty pounds," said J. E. Parker, machinist of 163 East 12th Avenue, Erie.

"It was about a year ago," continued he, "that I suffered of stroke of paralysis. At the time I weighed 205 pounds. I was obliged to quit work, and I haven't struck a lick at my trade in nearly twelve months. I fell off in weight to 147 pounds a loss of 58 pounds.

"I have been nearly dead. In fact I was so bad off that I thought my days were really numbered.

"About three weeks ago, I first heard about Tanlac. I made some private investigations about the medicine. I inquired of several neighbors who were taking Tanlac. They told me it was the best thing they had ever used and that I would make no mistake in testing it. I thereupon bought me some of the medicine. I began improving in a few days after commencing to use it. My strength came back to me gradually and I am now today stronger and feel younger than I have felt in years.

"Yes, it is true. I have gained twenty pounds in two weeks. It seems strange to believe but it is certainly so. I am now feeling so well that I am going back to work next Monday.

"I consider Tanlac the most wonderful medicine ever sold here."

Tanlac is now sold in Charleroi exclusively by Pipers Drug Store where the premier preparation can be had.

PERSONALS

Mrs. William Deiters of Crest avenue has returned from Wheeling W. Va., where she visited with relatives.

Thomas Newton was brought home from the Allegheny General hospital at Pittsburg and is improving nicely.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. R. O Vetter and Mrs. Charles Hazlett entertained the members of the Kensington Afternoon club at the former's home on Fallowfield avenue. Lunch was served by Mrs. Vetter and Mrs. Hazlett assisted by Mrs. William Vetter.

READ THE MAIL

MOTHERS

Should see that the whole family take at least three or four doses of a thoro purifying system cleaning medicine this spring. Now is the time. The family will be healthier, happier and get along better if the blood is given a thoro purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter accumulated in the system driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the very best and surest Spring Remedy to take. Get it at once and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll feel fine and be well and happy. 35c. The best Spring tonic-laxative, purifier. W. F. Hennig.

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WILD ALL THROUGH.

The American Bay Lynx Is an Animal That Can't Be Tamed.

We call him the American wildcat, although he is of a different species from the wildcat of Europe. His real name is bay lynx, and he is closely associated with that other animal of America, the Canadian lynx. The European wildcat is really the ancestor of the domestic cat, but you can't domesticate the bay lynx of America. He is wild all the way through.

He gets his front name from his color, which is a yellowish brown or bay. His tail is short, which has given him another name—bobcat. Unlike most cats, he is a good swimmer, and his hind feet are partly webbed.

The bay lynx frequents mountain woodlands in the less settled portions of America, and sometimes he makes his presence dreaded by his raids on poultry. He is also a persistent robber of birds' nests, and he will eat both birds and eggs. He will also devour squirrels, rabbits, wild turkeys and anything that isn't too big for him to kill.

His appetite for animals has led people to fear him, although he will seldom attack human beings—only when he thinks he has to defend himself. He usually builds a nest of moss and leaves in a hollow tree.—Philadelphia North American.

SISTER OF CANONSBURG MAN IS WRECK VICTIM

Among those who lost their lives in the Amhurst, O., wreck were Miss Mary Elizabeth Howe, aged 44 years of Crafton, and her friend, Miss Elizabeth Jones of Walkerville, Can. The two women's bodies were found in the midst of the wreckage. Miss Howe had been visiting Miss Jones' home and the two were coming to Crafton where the latter was to spend a vacation at Miss Howe's home. Miss Howe was a sister of Rev. John A. Howe of Canonsburg.